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The State of Utah

Department of Natural Resources

Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

ROBERT L. MORGAN Executive Director

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Permitee: CASTLE GATE HOLDING CO Operator: CASTLE GATE HOLDING CO

Site: CASTLE GATE MINE

Representatives Present During the Inspection:

Address: PO BOX 30, HELPER UT 84526-0030

County: CARBON

OLENE S. WALKER Governor GAYLE F. McKEACHNIE Lieutenant Governor

Company Dennis Ware

OGM Steve Demczak

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: RECLAIMED

Current Acreages

7,619.00	Total Permitted				
62.42	Total Disturbed				
62.42	Phase I				
58.10	Phase II				
	Phase III				

Mineral Ownership

✓ Federal ✓ Underground ✓ State ✓ Surface County ✓ Loadout Processing ☐ Other Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

No violatios were issued.

The Permittee notified the Division that the required fourth quarter of 2009 surface water monitoring information for the Castle Gate Mine was in the DOGM EDI pipeline and was acceptable for uploading. The Permittee continues to meet the Special Condition included as Attachment "A" of the current State permit. There are no other "special" permit conditions.

The field conditions in Sowbelly and Hardscrabble Canyons remain virtually unchanged, as does the condition of the reclaimed area for Adit #1.

Inspector's Signature:

Date

Monday, May 03, 2010

Inspection Report

C0070004 PARTIAL

Tuesday, April 27, 2010

4/27/2010 10:00:00 AM

4/27/2010 12:00:00 PM

Wednesday, March 24, 2010

Accepted by: jhelfric

5/6/2010

Permit Number:

Inspection Type:

Inspection Date:

Start Date/Time:

End Date/Time:

Last Inspection:

Inspector: Steve Demczak,

Weather: Sunny, Windy, 50's

InspectionID Report Number: 2341

Types of Operations

Inspector ID Number: 39

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

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Inspection Continuation Sheet

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
 - b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- 3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
- 4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcemen
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale				
2.	Signs and Markers	✓		\checkmark	
3.	Topsoil	✓		✓	
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	Y		✓	
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments				
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	V		V	
4 .d	Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring				
4.e	Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations				
5.	Explosives				
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches				
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments				
8.	Noncoal Waste	V		✓	
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues				
10.	Slides and Other Damage	V		✓	
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation				
12.	Backfilling And Grading	V		V	
13.	Revegetation				
14.	Subsidence Control				$\overline{\Box}$
15.	Cessation of Operations				
16.a	Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing				
16.b	Roads: Drainage Controls				$\overline{\Box}$
17.	Other Transportation Facilities		П		
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations	V		V	$\overline{\Box}$
19.	AVS Check				
20.	Air Quality Permit				
	Bonding and Insurance		$\overline{}$		
	Other				
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2. Signs and Markers

Identification signs are at the gates to the property.

3. Topsoil

All topsoil was used in reclamation.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

The diversions were inspected and were functioning as designed. The diversion were completely open from snow.

4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures

The reclaim site is plocked for sediment control.

8. Noncoal Waste

No non-coal waste noticed during the inspection.

10. Slides and Other Damage

No slides or damage was noticed during the inspection.

12. Backfilling And Grading

The sites are completely reclaimed. All backfilled material was used.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

There are no facilities at Castle Gate.